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May be obtained of any Chemist or Perfumer,
2, New Bond Street, London.
Beware of spurious imitations.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.
A N OFFICE, from 1st June.
Apply, stating situation and price, to
O. P.
Hongkong, 23rd April, 1892. [189]

H. K. TRADING CO.
BILLIARDS.
Two full sized BILLIARD TABLES, of
best make in first-class condition, with
regulation. Fitted for inspection.
Tables for Lawn, Billiard, and other
amusement, and all alterations taken in hand and
executed practically.
Match Case and all requisites kept in Stock.
HONGKONG TRADING CO.,
20, Queen's Road, Hongkong.
Hongkong, 23rd April, 1892. [188]

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF
CANTON, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of Twenty per
Cent. upon Contributions for the year
1891 has been declared.
SHAREHOLDERS may be had on application at the
Office of the Society on and after the
5th May.
By Order of the Board.
N. J. EDE, Secretary.
Hongkong, 23rd April, 1892. [190]

PEAK HOTEL.
This Commodious and Well Appointed
HOTEL has been leased by the Proprietor
of the "Victoria Hotel," and will be
OPENED on the 1st May Next, and run in
connection with the Hotel in Queen's Road,
thus enabling them to offer special inducements
to Visiting Residents.
The HOTEL has been thoroughly renovated,
Re-decorated, and Refurnished.
A NEW HANDMADE BAR has been opened
on the Basement, while a NEW BAR and Billiard
ROOM has been erected on the main floor.
A GRILL ROOM has been opened where
CHOPS, STEAKS, &c. can be served at any hour.
For full particulars apply to the Proprietor,
Mr. J. J. JOSEPH, at the Hotel.
DURABEE & HING KEE,
Lessees.
Hongkong, 23rd April, 1892. [188]

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.
THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
"SURA"
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INTIMATIONS.

EXAMPLES OF THE COST
OF ASSURANCE TO A MAN AGED 30
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£1,000 STG. payable at death, would
cost per quarter at the rate
of £ 8 18 0
(a) If premiums are payable
for whole of life.
(b) If premiums are limited
to 20 years.
(c) If premiums are limited
to 15 years.
(d) If the Sum Assured is
made payable at age 50, or
at death if previous.
* Secured payment.
THE same provisions if commenced at age
40, a b would cost respectively (a)
£15.0, (b) £11.5, (c) £13.2, (d) £27.0
per quarter.
DODD, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents,
STANDARD LIFE OFFICE,
1101-1103, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

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AMERICAN TOBACCO (TRUST) COM-
PANY'S, which are brands of "SMOKE" COM-
POUND, "STRAIGHT CUT," "FOLD," "DAG-
MAR," "CIGARETTES" and "TOBACCO."
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Hongkong, 18th July, 1891. [1719]

CLUB WHISKY.
1885.
Manufactured by
HIRAM WALKER & SONS,
Ontario.
SOLE AGENTS,
Hongkong and China:
CALDECK, MACGREGOR & CO.
[125a]

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AUTHOR OF "THE DRAGON'S WIFE," "THE
TEMPERED WIFE," "THE
PAY PAUL," &c., &c.

CHAPTER I.

CANTON IN THE AIR.

There were no signs of exultation in the

parlour at the back of the shop and in the

movements of the lady. If the form now so

accidentally reminiscent of the time when the

fine-looking woman who sat there alternated

between the parlour and the dining-room on

the floor above, where the window commanded

a good view of the high, old, looked by the

light of the gas, and with faded with ex-

hausted, scarcely thin. Handsome shoulders

were, figure, features, and complexion

had faded, and all the world to meet

had found each and all too pronounced. There

was a want of repose in her manner, and the

tones of her voice were peculiarly loud and

stuttering, and her speech was

apparently not on friendly terms with any

known grammar.

These defects would inevitably have caused

an observer to set her at her true level—that

of a well-to-do tradesman's wife, wanting in

refinement and education, but possibly by no

means deficient in worldly tact, business qualities,

and general intelligence.

It was past six, and Mrs. Horton had expected

that her daughters would have arrived quite an

hour before. What could have delayed them?

Basic, the household, gave no answer to

at a station a few miles distant, and she, as her

mistress knew, was as competent and helpful

in travelling as her daughters' inexperience could

require.

The parlour was gay with flowers, and the

table looked inviting, loaded with the many

delicacies which in the northern counties may be

considered suitable to do honour to a "high

tea," and to parties of which guests are

few. The room was, in its lighting and

furnishings, as comfortable and helpful

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"Just! Just! you've been and got a box."

Now, mother, he was only so polite as to

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so to my luggage. I assure you he was most

respectful."

Oh yes, he was right enough. Harriet

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spread far and wide, and as it is usual in

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